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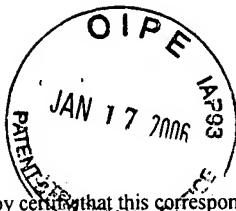
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

James L. Winkler et al.

Application No.: 10/727,877

Filed: December 3, 2003

For: DEVICE AND METHODS FOR  
MIXING FLUIDS

Customer No.: 33494

Confirmation No. 6741

Examiner: David L. Sorkin

Technology Center/Art Unit: 1723

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 26, 2005, and pursuant to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed December 12, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.